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MEMORANDUM FOR: AD/RR

SUBJECT : Rough Draft of Possible Compromise DCID 15/1

Introductory paragraph: Stick to CIA draft so as to nail down the inclusion of China in the Soviet Bloc.

1a. State version seems preferable.

1b. We should fight for ours.

1d. I like the State one as amended in pencil.

1e. I think we should stick to ours.

1f. I think ours is good and State should be agreeable to it as it pertains almost exclusively to the technical services of the military departments.

From here on out I am setting forth my views in detail drawing as appropriate on both CIA and State Department drafts

2. Responsibility for Intelligence Production

The production of economic intelligence on the Soviet Bloc consists of research on past and present facts and estimates ^{and forecasts of} ~~as to~~ future capabilities ^{and most probable trends.} ~~and most probable trends.~~

2.1a. Primary responsibility for intelligence research on the past and present state of the Soviet Bloc economies, as a matter of common concern, is assigned to the Central Intelligence Agency, except that

b. The appropriate military agencies shall have primary responsibility for research into the production of military end items and such studies as may be required to supplement CIA research ~~in the development of such target system and vulnerability analyses as may be~~ ^{as} needed to discharge their departmental responsibilities. ^{as needed to} ~~discharge their departmental responsibilities~~

2.2 Responsibility for intelligence ^{estimates} of future bloc economic capabilities and probable developments is assigned as follows:

a. The Central Intelligence Agency shall have primary responsibility for ^{providing} developing economic-analytical projections and establishing limits of economic capabilities.

b. The military appropriate agencies shall have the primary responsibility for estimates concerning military end items, logistical ~~and~~ capabilities, and military vulnerabilities.

c. The Department of State shall have primary responsibility for ^{estimates forecasts} integrating (political and economic intelligence) ~~into forecast of~~ probable developments ^{which integrate}.

2.3 It is recognized that, despite the above mentioned allocations of primary production responsibilities, there will be areas of common or overlapping interest which will require continuing inter-agency liaison and such working-level conferences as may be appropriate.

3. Responsibility for Economic Intelligence Coordination

3.1 The Central Intelligence Agency will continue to have the responsibility for coordination of foreign economic intelligence as outlined in NSCID 15. To assist the Central Intelligence Agency in carrying out this responsibility the Economic Intelligence Committee shall continue to perform the functions outlined in IAC-D-22/1 (revised).